

ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE

Company..... Ranger Force, Station.....

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF

Cattleg

I,

E. J. Davis

, born in

Canton

in the State of

Georgia

, aged

14

years and

1

months, and by occupation a

Cattle Inspector

do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this

19th

day of

May

, 191

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, as a private in the Ranger Force of this State, for the period of two years,

unless sooner discharged by proper authority. ~~And I do also agree to accept from the State of Texas such~~

~~bounty, pay, subsistence and other expenses as are or may be established by law.~~ And I do solemnly swear

that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as an officer of the Ranger Force according to the best of my skill and ability, agreeably to the Constitution and laws of the United States and of this State, and I do further solemnly swear that since the adoption of the Constitution of this State, I being a citizen of this State, have not fought a duel with deadly weapons, nor have I acted as second in carrying a challenge, or aided, advised or assisted any person thus offending. And I furthermore swear that I have not, directly nor indirectly, paid, offered or promised to pay, contributed nor promised to contribute, any money or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, to secure my appointment. So help me God.

E. J. Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this

19

day of

May

A. D. 191

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Edward Kenson Clerk

Caddy Creek Cattle Co. Tex.

I certify that

E. J. Davis

, the above named man, has been carefully examined by me

previous to his enlistment, and to the best of my knowledge and belief he is physically able, competent to and will faithfully perform the duties incumbent on him in accordance with law. This man is

14

years

1 months of age. Height

5

feet

9 1/2

inches. Complexion

fair

Eyes

Blue

Hair

light

Born at

Canton

County of

Cherokee

State of

Georgia

Occupation

Cattle Inspector

Married or single

Married

Previous service

Stock Mace.

Remarks:

Cattle Raisers Son

Captain Co..... Ranger Force.

File in description

CATTLE RAISERS ASSN.

A. G. O. Form 21.
Authorized July 7, 1905.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

OATH OF MEMBERS RANGER FORCE

Name E.T. Davis,

Rank Private

Company C, Ranger Force

Station Paducah, Texas.

SPECIAL RANGER

Reinstated 12-20-17

THE STATE OF TEXAS



ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the bearer E. T. Davis.
is a Private in ~~Company~~ the Ranger Force, State of Texas, and this
is his Warrant of Authority as a Ranger, under an Act of the 36th Legislature of the State of Texas, Ap-
proved March 31, 1919, and Descriptive List for identification, and will be exhibited as his authority to
act as a Ranger when called upon for his credentials. This warrant must be surrendered to Company
Commander by bearer when discharged. This Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List is signed by
The Adjutant General under seal of office and attested by Company Commander.

Name E. T. Davis. Rank Private.
Age 53 years 1 month. Where born Canton, Ga.
Height 5 feet 8½ inches. Occupation Cattle Inspector.
Hair Light. Enlisted Where Austin, Texas.
Eyes Blue. Enlisted When May 26, 1926.
Complexion Light. Enlisted by Whom Gen. Dallas J. Matthews.
This warrant of authority expires Feb. 1, 1926.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 26th
day of May 1926.

Dallas J. Matthews
The Adjutant General.

Attest: R. W. Redneck
Captain Ranger Force

Commanding Co.

ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE

Company.....Ranger Force, Station.....

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of.....COTTLE.....}

I,.....E.T.DAVIS....., born in.....Cherokee, County,
in the State of.....Georgia....., aged.....53..... years and.....one..... months, and by occupation a
.....CATTLE INSPECTOR..... do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this.....26..... day of
.....May....., 1926, as a private in the Ranger Force of this State, for the period of two years,
Without compensation
unless sooner discharged by proper authority. ~~And I do not agree to accept from the State of Texas such~~
~~county, pay, subsistence and other expenses as are or may be established by law.~~ And I do solemnly swear
that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as an officer of
the Ranger Force according to the best of my skill and ability, agreeably to the Constitution and laws of the
United States and of this State, and I do further solemnly swear that since the adoption of the Constitution
of this State, I being a citizen of this State, have not fought a duel with deadly weapons, nor have I acted
as second in carrying a challenge, or aided, advised or assisted any person thus offending. And I further-
more swear that I have not, directly nor indirectly, paid, offered or promised to pay, contributed nor prom-
ised to contribute, any money or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, to secure my
appointment. So help me God.

E. T. Davis.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this.....26th..... day of.....MAY..... A. D. 1926

Fill in description below.

James M. Whetley
Notary Public, Cottle County

I certify that.....E.T.DAVIS....., the above named man, has been carefully examined by me
previous to his enlistment, and to the best of my knowledge and belief he is physically able, competent to and
will faithfully perform the duties incumbent on him in accordance with law. This man is.....53..... years
.....ONE..... months of age. Height.....5..... feet.....8½..... inches. Complexion.....Light..... Eyes.....BLUE.....
Hair.....Light..... Born at.....CANTON..... County of.....CHEROKEE..... State of.....GEORGIA.....
Occupation.....CATTLE INSPECTOR..... Married or single.....MARRIED..... Previous service.....
.....6 Years Special Ranger,.....
Residence.....Paducah, Texas,.....

Remarks:

Caption Co.....Ranger Force.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

**OATH OF MEMBERS
RANGER FORCE**

Cattle Inspector

Name *E. T. Davis,*

Rank *Private,*

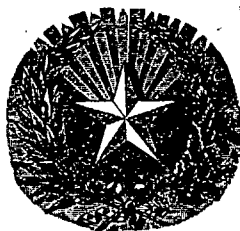
Company....., Ranger Force

Station *Paducah,*

7/1/27

Warrant dated May 26, 1926
Discharged February 1, 1927

THE STATE OF TEXAS



ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List

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is a Private in ~~Company~~ the Ranger Force, State of Texas, and this
is his Warrant of Authority as a Ranger, under an Act of the 36th Legislature of the State of Texas, Ap-
proved March 31, 1919, and Descriptive List for identification, and will be exhibited as his authority to
act as a Ranger when called upon for his credentials. This warrant must be surrendered to Company
Commander by bearer when discharged. This Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List is signed by
The Adjutant General under seal of office and attested by Company Commander.

Name	<u>E. T. Davis</u>	Rank	<u>Private</u>
Age	<u>53 years, 10 months</u>	Where born	<u>Cherokee, Ga.</u>
Height	<u>5 feet 9 inches</u>	Occupation	<u>Cattle Inspector</u>
Hair	<u>Brown</u>	Enlisted Where	<u>Austin, Texas</u>
Eyes	<u>Blue</u>	Enlisted When	<u>August 18, 1927</u>
Complexion	<u>Fair</u>	Enlisted by Whom	<u>Gen. Robt. L. Robertson</u>
<u>This warrant of authority expires February 18, 1928</u>			

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 18th
day of February 192 7.

Robt. L. Robertson
The Adjutant General.

Attest: W. H. Hedrick
Captain Ranger Force

Commanding Co.

ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE

Company.....Ranger Force, Station.....

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of.....

I, E.T. Davis, born in.....

in the State of Georgia, aged 53 years and 10 months, and by occupation a

Cattle Inspector do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this 18 day of

February, 1927, as a private in the Ranger Force of this State, for the period of two years,

without compensation unless sooner discharged by proper authority. ~~And I do also agree to accept from the State of Texas such~~

~~bounty, pay, subsistence and other expenses as are or may be established by law.~~ And I do solemnly swear

that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as an officer of

the Ranger Force according to the best of my skill and ability, agreeably to the Constitution and laws of the

United States and of this State, and I do further solemnly swear that since the adoption of the Constitution

of this State, I being a citizen of this State, have not fought a duel with deadly weapons, nor have I acted

as second in carrying a challenge, or aided, advised or assisted any person thus offending. And I further-

more swear that I have not, directly nor indirectly, paid, offered or promised to pay, contributed nor prom-

ised to contribute, any money or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, to secure my

appointment. So help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 18th day of Feb A. D. 1927

Fill in description below

I certify that E.T. Davis, the above named man, has been carefully examined by me

previous to his enlistment, and to the best of my knowledge and belief he is physically able, competent to and

will faithfully perform the duties incumbent on him in accordance with law. This man is 53 years

months of age. Height 5 feet 9 inches. Complexion Fair Eyes Blue

Hair..... Born at Cherokee County of Cherokee State of Ga

Occupation Cattle Inspector Married or single Married Previous service yes

Residence Paducah, Ky. Box 501.

Remarks:

Captain Co..... Ranger Force.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

OATH OF MEMBERS
RANGER FORCE

Tex. C. R. Assn

Name E. T. Davis

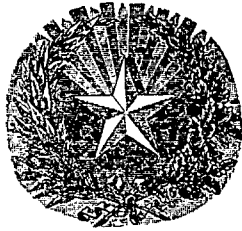
Rank Private

Company , Ranger Force

Station Paducah

Warrant dated February 18, 1927
Discharged February 18, 1928

THE STATE



OF TEXAS

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the bearer E. T. Davis

is a Private in ~~Company~~ the Ranger Force, State of Texas, and this is his Warrant of Authority as a Ranger, under an Act of the 36th Legislature of the State of Texas, Approved March 31, 1919, and Descriptive List for identification, and will be exhibited as his authority to act as a Ranger when called upon for his credentials. This warrant must be surrendered to Company Commander by bearer when discharged. This Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List is signed by The Adjutant General under seal of office and attested by Company Commander.

Name E. T. Davis Rank Private
Age 54 years 10 months Where born Canton, Ga.
Height 5 feet 9 inches Occupation Cattle Inspector
Hair Light Enlisted Where Austin, Texas
Eyes Blue Enlisted When February 24, 1928

Complexion Fair Enlisted by Whom Gen. Robt. L. Robertson
This warrant of authority is void after February 24, 1929, and also becomes void at any time the holder leaves the service of the Cattle raisers Association.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 24th
day of February 1928

Robt. L. Robertson
The Adjutant General.

Attest: R. W. Sheridan
Captain Ranger Force
Commanding Co.

ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE

Company.....Ranger Force, Station.....

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Cottle }

I, E. J. Davis, born in Canton, Cherokee Co.

in the State of Georgia, aged 54 years and 10 months, and by occupation a

Cattle Inspector do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this 24 day of

February, 1928, as a private in the Ranger Force of this State, for the period of two years,

Without compensation unless sooner discharged by proper authority. ~~And I do also agree to accept from the State of Texas such~~

~~bounty, pay, subsistence and other expenses as are or may be established by law.~~ And I do solemnly swear

that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as an officer of

the Ranger Force according to the best of my skill and ability, agreeably to the Constitution and laws of the

United States and of this State, and I do further solemnly swear that since the adoption of the Constitution

of this State, I being a citizen of this State, have not fought a duel with deadly weapons, nor have I acted

as second in carrying a challenge, or aided, advised or assisted any person thus offending. And I further-

more swear that I have not, directly nor indirectly, paid, offered or promised to pay, contributed nor prom-

ised to contribute, any money or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, to secure my

appointment. So help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 24th day of February, A. D. 1928.

Fill in description below.

I certify that E. J. Davis, the above named man, has been carefully examined by me

previous to his enlistment, and to the best of my knowledge and belief he is physically able, competent to and

will faithfully perform the duties incumbent on him in accordance with law. This man is 54 years

10 months of age. Height 5 feet 9 inches. Complexion fair Eyes blue

Hair light Born at Canton County of Cherokee State of Ga.

Occupation Cattle Inspector Married or single Previous service.....

Residence Paducah, Texas.

Remarks:

Caption Co.....Ranger Force.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

**OATH OF MEMBERS
RANGER FORCE**

Cattle Inspt.

Name E. T. Davis

Rank Private

Company....., Ranger Force

Station Paducah

2/24/29

Warrant dated February 24, 1928
Died May 13, 1928

STATE OF TEXAS
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT
AUSTIN

10 May, 1917.

Gov.
Hon. Jas. E. Ferguson,
Austin, Texas.

Dear Sir:

P. F.
I am writing to request the appointment of Mr. E. T. Davis of Paducah, Texas, as Special Ranger. Mr. Davis is one of the Field Inspectors of the Cattle Raisers' Ass'n. and has been so employed for the past five years. He is one of our most valuable men, and before accepting employment of the Association was for many years Deputy Sheriff of Cottle County. As you know the duties of the Field Inspectors for the Association called them to all portions of the State, as well as the States of Oklahoma and New Mexico, and following your custom to make the appointment for Ranger, ~~when~~ requested to do so by the Association, I respectfully ask that you authorize the Adjutant General to appoint Mr. Davis.

Yours truly,

Sayre Moses, Attorney
Cattle Raisers' Association.

*Gen. Hutchins: Please
appoint Mr. Davis without
pay -*

5/10/17

*Ferguson
Governor*

1 June, 1917.

From: The Adjutant General, State of Texas.

To: Mr. E.T. Davis, Paducah, Texas.

Subject: Warrant of Authority.

1. Herewith transmitted warrant of authority
issued in your favor as Special Ranger in the Texas Ranger
Force.

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